

# MINA BUSINESS PORTION WIPED OUT BY FIRE

MINA (Nevada), Dec. 14.—11.30 p. m.—A fire alarm was sounded at 11:30 p. m. tonight by a conflagration from the Davis hotel, which ignited the butcher shop on the north and quickly spread to the Northern saloon and the store of Sol Summerfield, which contained the postoffice. The citizens fought the flames heroically and the railroad water supply was in evidence, as every yard engine was pumping water through a hose. The loss is estimated at \$45,000. The fire was under control at 1:30 a. m. The flames were to the southward and had the wind been toward the north the fire would have licked up \$100,000 of property owned by the railroad company.

## BAZAAR WAS A GREAT SUCCESS

The bazaar given by the Ladies' guild of St. Mark's church at the Miners Exchange hall last evening proved to be a greater success than the ladies had hoped for and before the midnight hour had been reached many of the tables had been sold completely out. The affair was crowded and those engaged in selling the articles at the various tables were kept so busy that many had to call for extra assistants.

The candy department reaped a regular harvest and many were the shekels taken from the unwary. Dr. C. L. Hammond proved the angel here, and before he was able to make his get-away he was forced to resort to tabs. Newt Crumley purchased the entire stock of aprons and regretted that the supply was exhausted. Brother Grant caught the fishing fever and left just \$6.90 with Rebecca at the well. The utility table attracted both sexes and many novelties were on exhibition. The telegraph booth made Fred Berry feel like a young man again and he purchased the entire stock of telegrams. At the fancy work table and hand painted china exhibition Mike Flint took the prize for the largest number of purchases. Some exceedingly clever designs in artistic work were on sale. The lemonade and refreshments served the entire assemblage with delicacies of all kinds. Westley Stewart had charge of this department (washing dishes) and he made quite a hit.

Dancing was started at 9 o'clock and between the promenades the various tables were visited.

The ladies who had charge of the bazaar deserve credit in the excellent

way in which they handled the affair for they saw to it that every one enjoyed themselves to the limit.

## NEAL FUNERAL WILL BE TODAY

The funeral of James Neal, who died Saturday from organic heart trouble, will take place this afternoon from the undertaking parlors of Woonacott and Hall. The interment will be in the local cemetery and the services will be under the auspices of the veterans of the civil war, of which organization the deceased was an honored member. The veterans were out yesterday soliciting funds to pay the expenses of the funeral and were successful in their efforts. The few veterans who reside in Tonopah will follow the remains of their comrade to its last resting place, and they invite all friends and acquaintances to be present.

### HE SETTLED THE BILL.

"Slim" Barbour, who was arrested Saturday at Hazen when he was en route to Salt Lake, on the charge of beating a board bill, will not be brought back to Tonopah as he settled for all the charges and was allowed to go on his way. The settling of the case saved the county considerable expense and besides taught "Slim" a lesson that will probably stand him in hand in the future.

### NOTICE TO ELKS.

All Elks are requested to meet at the lodge rooms at 2:45 o'clock this afternoon for the purpose of meeting the Goldfield Elks minstrels.

GEORGE THATCHER,  
Exalted Ruler.

## \$1000 REWARD FOR MURDERER

Sheriff Lamb of Humboldt county is sending out circulars offering a reward of \$1000 for the arrest of Charles Barr, the murderer of Deputy Sheriff Larkin. The commissioners of Humboldt county offer \$500 of this amount and the widow of Larkin the remainder. The governor will probably increase the reward to \$1500.

Following is Barr's description as set forth in the circular: Age, about 21 years; height, about 5 feet 8 inches; weight, about 170 pounds; stocky built. Small hazel eyes, dark brown hair, small regular teeth. When last seen had a fuzzy sandy light beard, no moustache. Is left-handed; uses rope left-handed, shoots and eats left-handed; eats principally with spoon. Very polite in speech. Uses words "Thank you" quite often; has drawl in his speech. Wears about No. 8 shoe. Small head. When last seen was dressed in blue overalls, coarse black shoes, jet black wooly astrakhan coat, white Stetson hat with about three-inch rim. Was riding bay horse weighing about 1200 pounds; short legged; branded JE, connected, on left stifle. Was armed with .25-35 Winchester rifle and .38 Colt old model. Father's address W. G. Barr, 2004 Golden Gate avenue, San Francisco, California.

## K. P. LODGE HAS NAMED ITS NEW OFFICIAL STAFF

The Knights of Pythias held their annual election of officers last evening at their regular meeting in Butler hall and the following were chosen to preside in that organization for the coming year:

Chancellor commander, W. H. Thomas; vice chancellor, H. W. Scheld; prelate, Kenneth J. Booth; master of work, Letson Balliet; master of finance, C. D. Ziegler; master of the exchequer, George B. Swasey; keeper of records and seals, R. C. Barrett; master at arms, S. D. Finley; inside guard, J. T. Garner; outside guard, John Barrier; trustees, T. S. Marshall, Dr. J. C. Cowden and Ed Miller. The installation will take place in January.

## BARBECUE

Tonight at Casino fifty beef heads, cowboy style. Also Papke-Kelly fight by direct wire.

R. B. Kidd wishes to thank his many customers for their past patronage and hopes to receive their future business at his assay office, two doors south of the Palace hotel, Main street. He has installed a complete power plant and is prepared to do quick and accurate assaying of all kinds.

## RAILWAY TO MISS BATTLE MOUNTAIN

Battle Mountain may yet be left off the line of the Western Pacific railroad. Last Tuesday the Western Pacific started a force of men at work at Rocky Point, on the opposite side of the valley from Battle Mountain, and about four miles distant, changing the channel of the river for a distance of about 1000 feet. A dam will be constructed and a three-track railroad graded. The Southern Pacific is paying one-half the expense of the improvement, and it is said that it proposes to build a new track from Stone House to Argenta, which will shorten the line some four or five miles, and will leave Battle Mountain about the same distance off to one side.

Try our four year old port and cherry wines at \$2.00 per gallon. H. J. Hall & Co.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Lewis A. Parkhurst visited Goldfield yesterday.

Dr. Phillips departed yesterday for his home in Los Angeles.

C. B. Coykendall went to Goldfield yesterday on a business trip.

J. F. Stebbins of Round Mountain left yesterday morning for Reno.

Postmaster Collins of Goldfield was a Tonopah visitor Sunday evening.

Sheriff J. J. Owens returned Sunday from a visit to the southern part of the state.

County Commissioner Sam F. Lindsay returned to his home in Rhyolite Sunday morning.

J. S. Thompson of the Nevada-California Power company, visited Goldfield yesterday.

Frank Tait, of the Armour Packing company of Nevada, came over from Goldfield yesterday.

Mrs. J. S. Daveler and son, Eric V. Daveler, returned from a visit to California yesterday afternoon.

Frank Golden, president of the Nye and Ormsby County bank, came down from the north yesterday.

J. G. Kirchen returned from Santa Barbara yesterday, having accompanied Mrs. Kirchen to that place.

E. P. Tognini, who has been in San Francisco for several weeks, returned yesterday morning's train.

W. F. Dixon, a prominent business man of Round Mountain, left on yesterday's north bound train for Reno.

Miss L. L. Gilman, who has been with her father in Goldfield for the past week, returned to Tonopah yesterday morning.

Mrs. H. Hoag of Round Mountain left yesterday morning for Cripple Creek, Colorado, where she will visit for some time.

Robert C. Mayes of the Valley View hotel, left yesterday for Paso Robles, California, where he will stay for about two months.

George Wingfield and wife and Mrs. C. J. Sadler of Reno, came over from Goldfield last evening and will remain in Tonopah several days.

A. M. Ardery, the popular official of the Virginia and Truckee railroad, with headquarters at Carson, arrived Sunday and left yesterday morning for Goldfield.

Mrs. James Morris has gone to Reno, where she will spend a few days visiting with relatives. From there she will proceed to the coast and spend the holidays with her daughter.

Mrs. N. B. Phillips and daughter, Jane, arrived from California Sunday morning's train and will reside here in the future. Mr. Phillips is connected with the sheriff's office and at present is acting as bailiff in the district court during the absence of Captain Bradley.

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## SERVICES AT ST. PATRICKS CHURCH ALL WEEK

Fathers Carey and McMullin, two Paulist fathers from San Francisco, commenced mission services at St. Patrick's church in this city Sunday, and will continue them until and including next Sunday, the mission week constituting a week of prayer and penance. The visiting fathers are both eloquent speakers, and the public is invited to and should attend these services, which are as follows:

First mass, with instructions, 6:30 a. m.; mass with instructions, 8:30 a. m.; special instruction for children preparing for first communion, 2:00 p. m.; at 7:30 p. m. instructions, rosary, sermon, closing with benediction, and with music by the choir during the services.

Father Carey will remain here over Christmas and will conduct the Christmas day services for Father Butler.

Fathers Carey and McMullin have just closed a week's mission service at Goldfield, the services well attended, and word has come from there that the visiting divines should be heard by the Tonopah people.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS

### MIZPAH HOTEL.

John Mulcahy, T. D. Murphy, E. R. Collins, Ed Michael, Thomas Kearne, Goldfield; Dave Shag, J. A. Bettel, Chicago; D. C. Beach, Granite; T. J. Chisham, Beatty; W. S. Van Nostrom, Rhyolite; Mrs. C. J. Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Wingfield, Bud Lefebure, Reno; C. E. Vannatta, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peterson, Manhattan; Hugh Collins, San Jose; J. A. Saunders, Manhattan; F. P. Kearns, Bullfrog.

### PALACE HOTEL.

Ben Williams, Bishop; Mrs. L. McGarry, Millers; D. McCrimmon, city; G. H. Lannes, Rhyolite; G. R. Hughes, San Francisco; E. R. Nixon, San Francisco; W. F. Tait, Goldfield; Percy Train, Round Mountain; Miss E. Wright, Round Mountain.

### QUIT YOUR KNOCKING.

(Stolen.) Put your hammer in the locker. Hide your sounding-board likewise. Anyone can be a knocker—Anyone can criticize—Cultivate a manner winning. Though it hurts your face to smile: And seems awkward in beginning. Be a booster for awhile.

We do ruling and binding.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

An order for a pair of my "made-to-order" glasses is an excellent Christmas gift. DR. GEO. P. DEVINE will be at Union Drug Store Dec. 15, 16, 17.

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The Almighty Dollar We sell exchanges for them all.

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The round trip. Stopover at Reno and Sacramento. Tickets on sale Dec. 21 to 31, inc. Return limit Jan. 10. Correspondingly low fares to other points

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### MISCELLANEOUS

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms with gas heat, electric lights, etc. \$10 to \$15 a month. Box 492, city. 12-5-1t.

FOR SALE—Safe, cash register and bar fixtures, cheap. Inquire Bonanza office.

DR. LYON—Psychic, palmist and healer. Cutting bldg. Room 102. 10-21-tf.

FOR SALE—One new two-horse power Wagner 60-cycle, single phase, electric motor. Address B Bonanza office. 1t

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KEY PITTMAN, Attorney-at-Law, State Bank Building, Tonopah, Nevada. STEVENS & VAN PELT, Associates, Rawhide, Nevada.

## BOOKS

Our Holiday Books have all arrived—the latest on sale by any dealer—and owing to the fact that we are soon to start another store in Reno, which we will run in conjunction with our Tonopah store, we want to raise all the cash possible, and to this end we are making bargains on books never before made in Tonopah. Come in and see them if you don't believe.

## HOLIDAY GOODS

of all kinds are being sold at prices which insure their sale, as we want to close out this line. We haven't space to tell all that we have in this line, but whether it's a present for the toddler or for the grandfather, we have something suitable. Orders taken for Christmas trees and tree ornaments.

## ROTHOLTZ BROS. LEADING STATIONERY STORE IN TONOPAH NEXT TO WELLS-FARGO